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Sir:

- I, Benjamin Renaud, declare as follows:
- I am the inventor of the subject matter described and claimed in the above-identified patent application.
- I was employed at BEA Systems, Inc. when I developed the invention described and claimed in the above-identified patent application.
- I have assigned all my rights in the above-identified patent application to BEA Systems,
 Inc., as evidenced by the copy of the assignment document attached hereto.
- 4. The invention described and claimed in the above identified patent application was incorporated into Weblogic Server 6.0 software product.
- 5. The attached article entitled "Deploying EJBs in the EJB container" and in particular, the section of the article entitled "Automatic Deployment Directory" which was posted on

Attorney Docket No.: ORACL-01067US0 JOmalley/ORACL/1067us0/Renaud Declaration BEA's Website, is merely a description of the Weblogic Server 6.0 product which incorporates the claimed subject matter of the above-identified patent.

6. I declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the above-referenced application or any patent issuing therefore.

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